

## **UPDATE Tc-99m Generator Supply – 25 October 2019**

- It is expected that most sites that normally get an ANSTO generator will receive a generator during next week (week of 28<sup>st</sup> October) and 4 November.
- Dependent on yields and shipment arrivals, typical delivery days and activity levels may vary.
- Generators will be delivered on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October.
- The full Tc-99m generator distribution list is published on ANSTO's website here: <a href="https://www.ansto.gov.au/business/products-and-services/health/health-products#content-customer-updates">https://www.ansto.gov.au/business/products-and-services/health/health-products#content-customer-updates</a>
- Supply for the week of 4 November is likely to be similar to this week. ANSTO customer service will contact customers over the next few days with further details.

Progress is being made with the mechanical repairs. ANSTO will shared a separate update via our website-here. <a href="https://www.ansto.gov.au/business/products-and-services/health/health-products#content-customer-updates">https://www.ansto.gov.au/business/products-and-services/health/health-products#content-customer-updates</a>

Thank you again to everyone in the nuclear medicine community, and in particular the Nuclear Medicine Working Group, with representation from RAINS, ANZSNM, AANMS, NSW Health, TGA and GMS, who are helping ensure that the reduced amount of nuclear medicine gets to areas needed most.

We apologise to everyone who has been impacted by this issue. If you have any questions, please contact ANSTO directly on 1800 251 572.

Where there is sustained limited radiopharmaceutical availability, ANSTO will consult with the Nuclear Medicine Working Group on the potential ways to minimise adverse impact to the community, and will consider any recommendations when ANSTO decides how it best meets its mandate and obligations, including legal obligations.